

PRICE \$2½ PER MONTH

INTERESTING

THEATRE ROYAL.

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THIS (SATURDAY) EVENING.  
the 27th December, 1884.  
THE "SNOWDROPS."  
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Hongkong, 18th December, 1884. [2368]  
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THE Company's Steamship  
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Leave Port TO-MORROW, the 20th Instant,  
 at DAYLIGHT.  
 For Freight or Passage, apply to  
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**FOR SHANGHAI VIA SWATOW.**

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FOR, MANILA VIA AMOY.  
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**STATIONERY AND ALBUMS.**—As our supply is

251 KELLY & WALSH, Queen's Road.  
THE NORTH CHINA INSURANCE  
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SCRIP LOST.  
SCRIP CERTIFICATE No. 535 for T

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By Order of the Court of Directors,  
J. KENNARD DAVIS  
Secretary.

Shanghai, 19th December, 1884. [2]

**ST. GEORGE'S BALL.**

**I**T is requested that all Bills in connection with the above Ball be sent in to the HON. TREASURER as early as convenient, in order that the accounts may be closed as soon as possible.

**H. M. THOMSETT,**  
Hon. Treasurer.

St. George's Hall  
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